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FILING DATE March 10, 2000	CONFIRMATION NO. 4972	CUSTOMER NO. 24367	EXAMINER Aung Soe Moe
INVENTOR(S): Hiroaki KUBO			
TITLE OF INVENTION: DIGITAL CAMERA WITH LIGHT ADJUSTING CONTROL OF FLASH			

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- ☒ (A) A response to the Office Action dated: May 26, 2004
- ☒ (B) A Petition for Extension of Time  
☒ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☐ for 3 months;  
A Petition for Extension of Time, having been previously filed,  
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☐ for 3 months
- ☐ (C) A Notice of Appeal. \$
- ☐ (D) An Appellant's Brief on Appeal. \$
- ☐ (E) Other: \$
- ☐ (F) A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27  
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## SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADD'L FEE
x \$9	\$
x \$43	
+ \$145	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$ 0.00

## LARGE ENTITY

RATE	ADD'L FEE
x \$18	\$
x \$86	
+ \$290	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$ 0.00

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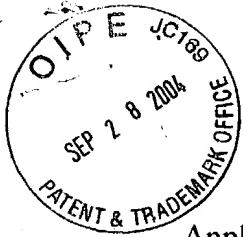
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated May 26, 2004, which provides for a response period ending August 26, 2004.

A Petition for Extension of Time to extend the response period for the Office Action for one additional month to September 26, 2004 is being filed concurrently.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.